

House Resolution 1564

By: Representatives Smith of the 113th, Channell of the 116th, Parham of the 141st, Hudson of the 124th, McCall of the 30th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Dedicating the Civil War Heartland Leaders Trail; and for other purposes.

2 WHEREAS, portions of U.S. Highways 129, 78, and 278 and State Routes 47, 77, and 22
3 pass through historically significant regions of this state, especially with regard to Georgians
4 who were leaders in the American Civil War; and

5 WHEREAS, recognizing and promoting the historical significance of this region could
6 promote economic development through tourism.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY that U.S. 129
8 from Gainesville to Jefferson to Athens; U.S. 78 from Athens to Lexington to Washington;
9 SR 47 from Washington to Crawfordville; SR 77 from Lexington to Union Point; U.S. 278
10 from Union Point to Crawfordville; and SR 22 from Lexington to Philomath to Crawfordville
11 to Sparta to Milledgeville are dedicated as the Civil War Heartland Leaders Trail.

12 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Department of Transportation is authorized and
13 directed to erect and maintain 28 signs identifying the Civil War Heartland Leaders Trail,
14 dispersed throughout the course of the trail, with not less than two signs in each county
15 through which the trail or a portion thereof passes.

16 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
17 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the Department of
18 Transportation.